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Director

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TO: Each Supervisor

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FROM: Bryce Yokomizo, Director

**SUBJECT: STATE AND FEDERAL CalWORKs FUNDING - LEGISLATIVE
EFFORTS AND DEVELOPMENTS DURING JULY 2002**

As instructed by your Board on January 15, 2002, this is to provide you with a report on legislative efforts and/or developments regarding State and Federal funding for the CalWORKs program for the month of July 2002.

State Funding

On June 29, 2002, the Senate adopted the Budget Act, AB 425. The Assembly has not passed a Budget bill. Therefore, there is no update to the information I provided in last month's report.

Federal Funding

As indicated in last month's report, on June 26, 2002, the Senate Finance Committee, which has primary jurisdiction in the Senate over TANF reauthorization, passed by a 13 to 8 vote, an outline of its TANF Reauthorization Proposal. On July 19, 2002, this proposal was released in bill form as a proposed substitute to the version of H.R. 4737 which passed the House on May 16, 2002. The Senate Finance Committee's bill has not yet been scheduled for consideration by the full Senate which may occur sometime in September after the Senate returns from its August recess.

This report concludes the six-month sequence of CalWORKs Funding monthly reports required by your Board on January 15, 2002. In the future, I will report on CalWORKs funding issues as the circumstances dictate. Please let me know if you have any questions or need additional information.

BY:ml

c: Chief Administrative Officer
County Counsel
Auditor-Controller
Executive Officer, Board of Supervisors